GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

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Enhancement in Royalty of Coal
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to enhance the rate of royalty of coal;
(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the rate of royalty is likely to be enhanced;
(c) the amount collected by the Government towards additional levy of Rs. 295 per tonne from the prior allocatees of Schedule-II coal mines, State-wise;
(d) whether the money collected through the additional levy has been shared with the States; and
(e) if so, the State-wise details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL, POWER, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGYAND MINES

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) & (b) The last revision in rates of royalty was w.e.f. 10.05.2012. A study group was constituted on 21.07.2014 to consider and recommend regarding revision of rate of royalty for coal and lignite.Final recommendation of study group is under consideration

(c) The amount collected by the Government towards additional levy from the prior allottees of Schedule-II coal mines, State-wise is as under :-

S.No. Name of the State Amount of Additional levy collected
(Rs.in crores)
1. Chhattisgarh 4169.87
2. Jharkhand 510.68
3. Maharashtra 174.50
4. Madhya Pradesh 44.47
5. Odisha 600.06
6. West Bengal 1129.03
Total 6628.61

(d) & (e) The money collected through the additional levy has not been shared with theStates concerned.
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